







## Knox On The Trail

He Captured Two Guns From Dewet's Force in Fight Near Pary's.

A Number of Refugees Are to Be Sent Back to Johannesburg.

London, Nov. 2.—The situation in South Africa is improving, and Lord Roberts will shortly return to England with the majority of his staff. Arrangements are being made in Cape town to send the first batch of refugees back to Johannesburg, and accommodation is being provided at Bloemfontein for a garrison of seven thousand men. Nevertheless, the activity of the Boers continues. On October 26th a commando of 300 captured a garrison of 30 men at Reddersburg, but afterwards released them. Trains from the south to Pretoria are attacked by the Boers almost daily. On October 24th the burghers occupied Kofffontein. On the other hand, Gen. Dewet's force near Pary's captured two guns, one of them a weapon lost by the British in the Sanna's Post affair. The daily list of British casualties is heavy. During the month of October the British lost 167 men killed in action, including 15 officers, 71 who died of wounds, 367 who died of disease, 22 who died of accidents and 97 captured or missing, a total almost equal to the monthly average for the duration of the war. The Daily Express publishes the sensational statements that the Boer revival is more serious than hitherto. However, and that in consequence Lord Roberts's return is likely to be still further postponed. It says also that no considerable part of the troops will return before January or February, while the regimental draft from England will continue and five thousand horses will be sent out. The paper definitely declares that the Boers are well armed and abundantly supplied with ammunition, and that the campaign is likely to last another six months. In the best informed quarters, however, it is asserted that there is no ground for the pessimism of the Daily Express.

## COAL GOES UP.

New York, Nov. 1.—It is announced that the prices of anthracite coal have been advanced 1 cent a ton over the nominal price of the July circular by the anthracite mining and carrying companies. The change covers the whole country, beginning to-day. The advanced prices are as follows: Grate, \$3.75; egg, \$4.25; stove and chestnut, \$4.50. The western prices are: At Buffalo—Grate, \$4.75; egg, stove and chestnut, \$5. These last prices are per gross ton of 2,240 pounds. At Chicago, Milwaukee and Duluth—Grate, \$5.75; egg, stove and chestnut, \$6. These last prices are per net ton of 2,000 pounds. The tidewater prices are f.o.b. at New York harbor.

## TORONTO ITEMS.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—It is estimated that the earnings of the Toronto street railway for the present year will reach a million and a half dollars. Jos. Alth. Livingston, one of the leading men in the Temperance Colonization Society, which about twelve years ago created a boom in Northwest land, is dead, aged 73. Apoplexy was the cause of death.

## ARCHBISHOP LEWIS RESIGNS.

Kingsport, Nov. 2.—To-day His Grace Archbishop Lewis resigned the chairmanship of the house of bishops, which means his retirement as Metropolitan of Canada. It is likely Bishop Bond, of Montreal, will be his successor. Archbishop Lewis intends residing in England for the future, hence his action.

## VALUABLE CARGO.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 2.—A Times special from Duluth says: "The most valuable grain cargo ever carried on the great lakes is being loaded in Duluth by the new steamer Howard Shaw. The Shaw is loading 200,000 bushels of fax for Buffalo, and the fax is insured for \$1.50 per bushel. This would make the total value of the cargo \$300,000."

## EX-MAYOR DEAD.

New York, Nov. 2.—William L. Strong, who was the last mayor of the old city of New York, died early this morning at his residence in this city.

## COLLIERIES IN OPERATION.

Hazleton, Pa., Nov. 2.—Every colliery in the Hazleton region is in operation to-day.

**Campbell's PRESCRIPTION STORE**  
Corner of Fort and Douglas Streets, Victoria B. C.  
For Pure Drugs and Chemicals.

## SPINAL CORD SEVERED.

Toronto, Nov. 2.—The case of Arthur Foreman, the 11-year-old lad, who was brought to the sick children's hospital from Port Carling on Wednesday suffering from paralysis of limbs from the waist down caused by a bullet wound, is exciting the attention of physicians. Investigation shows that the bullet severed the spinal cord and lodged just below the skin of the right shoulder. Severance of the spinal cord usually results in instant death. His arms were numb for some time after he was injured, but they are getting so he can use them. His brain is as sound as ever. He can swallow, but his breathing is from the stomach, the muscles of the chest being paralyzed. Many physicians are watching the case and declare the patient may live for months, but despair of his complete recovery.

## MONTREAL MEMS.

Montreal, Nov. 2.—The Court of the Queen's Bench opened here this morning. Justice Hall presiding. After swearing in of grand jury, the court adjourned for a week. The formal opening of the Royal Victoria (radio) college, gift of Lord Strathcona, and the unveiling of the statue of Her Majesty at the entrance to the college, last evening, was one of the most brilliant functions in Montreal of late years. Over 1,500 guests, including leading representatives of the social and business circles of the city, enjoyed the hospitality of Lord Strathcona. His Excellency the Governor-General and Lady Minto were present with their staff.

## FIREMAN INJURED.

Nanaimo, Nov. 2.—There was an exciting runaway on the Chemalux timber railway last night. The engine struck a middy rail on a steep down grade, and the engine lost control. He and the fireman jumped, the latter being injured. The brakeman hung on behind the tender, and had a narrow escape. The engine was derailed and tore up the track for a considerable distance. The Alexandria mine shut down yesterday.

## DEBTS WILL BE PAID.

New York, Nov. 2.—Reporting the de Castellane's financial affairs, Richard Sachard, counsel for the Countess de Castellane, is quoted in a Paris dispatch to make out as saying that all debts will be paid immediately by the Countess, with the exception of a few claims from antiquity and bric-a-brac dealers, which are deemed absolutely exorbitant.

## WHERE ARE THE SKEPTICS?

In spite of all the evidence published in the daily press, and even in spite of the testimony of your best friends, you may still be skeptical regarding the unusual virtues of Dr. Chase's Ointment. Nothing short of an actual trial will prove to you beyond the possibility of doubt that Dr. Chase's Ointment is an absolute cure for piles. A single box will be sufficient to make you an enthusiastic as your neighbor in praising Dr. Chase's Ointment, for it is certain to cure you.

## HAYS ELECTED PRESIDENT.

New York, Nov. 2.—The directors of the Southern Pacific Railway Co. met here to-day and elected Charles M. Hays to the presidency of the company. No other business was transacted at the meeting.

## VICTORIA ELECTIONS.

Melbourne, Nov. 2.—The result of the elections for the legislative assembly of Victoria is the return of forty-five Minsterialists, forty-eight members of the opposition and two Independents.



**Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION**  
GIVES STRENGTH TO NURSING MOTHERS.  
IT MAKES WEAK WOMEN STRONG AND SICK WOMEN WELL.

## Drowned In a Well

Emperor's Favorite Wife Killed by the Order of Emprress Dowager.

Germans in China—Troops Are Guarding the Railway From Peking.

Berlin, Nov. 2.—A special dispatch says: "In a well, situated within the imperial palace precincts in Peking, was found the body of Emperor Kwang's favorite wife, Shen Ti, whom the Empress Dowager caused to be drowned after the flight of the court from the capital. The second favorite, Shing Pi, and a hundred ladies belonging to the imperial harem, are prisoners in the hands of the allies."

Telegrams from Count von Waldersee show that all the German troops have now arrived in China and been distributed. The First and Second marines, the First infantry brigade and a small force of cavalry and artillery are stationed at Peking. The Second infantry brigade, with a corresponding force of artillery, engineers and cavalry, is at Pao Ting Fu. One battalion is at Shan Hai Kwan. The Third infantry brigade, with a company of sharpshooters, two squadrons of cavalry and several batteries, is at Tien Tsin. One battery and several howitzers are at Pao, and there is a force of troops distributed along the railway from Peking to Yang Tsun, superintending the work of construction.

A Pao Ting Fu dispatch, dated yesterday, says: "Telegraphic connection has been completed with Peking, entirely by the Germans. The railway from Pao Ting Fu to the capital is nearly completed. French detachments are guarding the line. The health of the German troops is improving."

Another batch of letters from German soldiers in China appears to-day in a number of papers, among them the Hanover Courier, which, editorially, demands official statements with reference to details given by the writers of the cruelties alleged to have been committed by Germans in China. This demand is warmly supported by the Freisinge Zeitung.

## Police Commissioners.

London, Nov. 3.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Times says that an important edict appoints Liu Kun Yai viceroy of Nankin, and Chang Chi Tung viceroy of Hankow, to be additional peace commissioners on behalf of China.

## Now will You Believe that Catarrh can be Cured?

JAPANESE CATARRH CURE CURES AFTER FIFTEEN YEARS' SUFFERING.

Catarrh is more difficult to cure on the Pacific Coast than in any other part of the world, owing to the extreme dampness of the climate and the sudden changes of temperature towards evening. But Japanese Catarrh Cure will cure catarrh in any climate for any person. Mr. J. H. Crow, 421 Keefer St., Vancouver, the well known contractor, writes: "I had been a great sufferer from catarrh for over fifteen years, during which time I tried a score of doctors and every remedy I thought would relieve me, but the result was only temporary relief. About a year ago I used six boxes of Japanese Catarrh Cure, and since completing this treatment have been entirely free from catarrh. I can recommend it with every confidence." Japanese Catarrh Cure is the only permanent and guaranteed cure for catarrh. Price 50 cents, by all druggists.

## OVERCROWDED LONDON.

Mr. Haw shows us that one-fifth of the population of London, that is to say, about 600,000 people, are systematically breaking the law. He shows us, also, how private individuals may set the law in action to punish the offenders by fine or eviction. But what he cannot show at present is where the evicted tenant is to go in order to escape the necessity of offending again. People overcrowded in London where rooms are let on the Boy and Cox principle, tenants occupying in rotation for eight hours each. Sometimes a young woman will occupy the room by day, which is let to a young man by night. People sleep under beds as well as in them, and pay rent for doing so. Evicted families live in sheds until they drift into the workhouse. The horrors of this state of things need no exaggeration and no sensational working up. The bare facts speak for themselves.—The Spectator.

## WHAT'S YOUR FACE WORTH?

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## MUNYON'S DYSPEPSIA CURE

Munyon's Stomach and Dyspepsia Cure cures all forms of indigestion and stomach trouble, such as rising of food, distress after eating, shortness of breath, palpitation and all affections of the heart caused by indigestion, which on the stomach, bad taste, offensive breath, loss of appetite, faintness or weakness of the stomach, headache from indigestion, nervousness of the stomach, coated tongue, heartburn, shooting pains of the stomach, constipation, diarrhoea, flatulency and lack of energy. Price 25c.

## TELEGRAPHIC TICKETS.

John McEwen, a pioneer farmer of Meadow Lea district, Manitoba, was sore to death by a bull. The New York police department has been investigating the list of persons reported missing in connection with the Tarrant fire, for the purpose of obtaining a correct list of persons supposed to have lost their lives.

The body of an unknown man was found by some school boys yesterday partially submerged in a cesspool in the rear of a laundry building in Westfield, N. Y. The circumstances attending the discovery indicate that death was due to violence.

The New York Evening World quotes an intimate friend of the Gould family as saying that George, Helen, Howard, Edwin and Frank Gould intend to contribute a sum sufficient to wipe out the debts contracted by Boni de Castellane, their sister's husband.

The officials of the Lehigh Valley Coal Co. and the laborers employed at the Dorrance and Prospect mine, who went on strike yesterday, reached an amicable agreement yesterday and all the men returned to work. The striking laborers employed at the Delaware colliery of the Delaware & Hudson Co. also returned to work, the company compromising with them.

Gen. Leonard Wood, commander of the department of Cuba, who arrived at Havana on the Kanawha, has appointed Senora Llorente, Castro, Rivera and Quenda as a commission to arrange the opening ceremony at the constitutional convention next Monday. The board of canvassers has not reported with reference to contested seats, and the question will be decided by the convention.

The Boston Globe to-day will print an open letter to Eugene V. Debs, urging his withdrawal in favor of Bryan, the signers being Prof. Frank Parsons, president of the National Public Ownership League; B. O. Flower, founder of The Arena; Edward Tamm, president of the National Direct Legislation; and Dr. Geo. W. Galvin, all personal friends of Mr. Debs.

Representative Harden, a member of the Georgia legislature, was seriously wounded, and Representative Cann and two other legislators were cut severely in a fight with haines, which took place aboard a special train occupied by members of the legislature en route to Valdosta, to attend the state fair. Representatives Harden and Hamby became involved in a quarrel, and the others were wounded in endeavoring to stop the disturbance.

Robert Elkins, a shipping clerk, was probably fatally wounded in New York yesterday by John Sweet, a salesman. Elkins was in front of the store, engaged in marking a case of goods when Sweet passed him. Elkins was kneeling at the time. He turned his head without seeing Sweet and spat upon him. Sweet became enraged, and before Elkins could arise to explain, drew a revolver and shot him in the neck.

## E. W. Loxe

This signature is on every box of the genuine Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets the remedy that cures a cold in one day.

Justice Macmahon at Toronto on Wednesday dismissed the case against Edward Tamm, who was charged with manslaughter, for having caused the death of Isiah Warner, on September 29th, by kicking him. Medical testimony was to the effect that Warner died from other causes than a blow from Taverner. T. W. Taylor, Conservative, has been elected as representative of Winnipeg Centre in the Manitoba Legislature by a majority of 158 over R. Muir, Liberal. The election of a member of the rightist to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. Wilhelm Liebknecht, the Socialist leader, has resulted in Herr Liebknecht, Socialist, receiving 53,732 votes out of a total of 65,832, which is 5,000 less than Herr Liebknecht.

## Dodd's Kidney Pills

are the only medicine that will cure Diabetes. Like Bright's Disease this disease is incurable until Dodd's Kidney Pills cured it. Doctors themselves confess that without Dodd's Kidney Pills they are powerless against Diabetes. Dodd's Kidney Pills are the first medicine that ever cured Diabetes. Limitations—box, name and pill, are advertised to do so, the medicine that does cure.

## Diabetes

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## ELEPHANT HUNTING.

The elephant hunt in Siam dates from time immemorial, and seems to have been designed for restocking the royal stables, and contributing, at the same time, to royal amusement. The present kral at Ayuthia was built during the last century by Phya Dark. Previous to that, one with mud and stone walls was in use at Siam. The elephants selected were mostly young animals, that will work with others after six months' training. The calves, however, become docile in about a month. The collars by which they are secured often chafe their necks, and the application of soothing remedies is found a useful factor in taming these intelligent beasts, which having once become accustomed to the presence of man, allow themselves to be handled; many of them being so attached to their keepers that they are noisy and impatient during their absence. An anecdote is recorded by Darwin of Dr. Hooker, who was riding an elephant that "became so deeply bogged that he remained stuck fast until the next day, when he was extricated by men with ropes. Under such circumstances elephants will seize with their trunks any object, dead or alive, to place under their knees to prevent their sinking deeper in the mud, and the driver was dreadfully afraid lest the animal should have seized Dr. Hooker and crushed him to death. But the driver himself, as Dr. Hooker was assured, ran no risk. This forbearance under an emergency so dreadful for a heavy animal is a wonderful proof of noble fidelity."—The Cornhill.



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## JUBILEE HOSPITAL BALL

Thursday, November 8th. Patrons, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Joly de Lotbiniere, the Commandant-in-Chief and Mrs. Beaumont, and the Captains and Officers of H. M. S. Esquimaux, the Mayor and Mrs. Hayward, Colonel and Mrs. Grant, and the Officers of the Garrison, Colonel Gregory and the Officers of the Fifth Regiment.

Tickets: Gentlemen, \$3; ladies, \$2. Contributions towards the supper may be sent to the View street entrance of the Assembly hall on Thursday, the 8th of November, if possible before 6 p. m. The Assembly rooms will be open for decoration and dancing on Tuesday, October 30th. All help will be gladly welcomed, together with the loan of plants and palms.

## Children's Jubilee Hospital Cinderella.

(In Aid of the Children's Ward.) FRIDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 9TH. Fancy dress in order, but not compulsory. Entrance 50 cents.

## LAST CHANCE Great Clearing Sale, FOR 10 DAYS Commencing 1st November

- Ladies' Tailor-made Suits ..... \$ 5.00
- Ladies' Top Skirts; from \$1.50 up .....
- Ladies' Knitted Underskirts ..... .35
- Ladies' Satin Blouses ..... \$ 2.50
- Ladies' Flannelette Wrappers ..... \$7.00
- Ladies' Flannelette Blouses, velvet collar ..... .50
- Ladies' Flannelette Night Gowns (full size) ..... .50
- Ladies' Flannelette Drawers ..... .15
- Ladies' Kid Gloves, Gloves from 50c up .....
- Ladies' Woolen Vests ..... .40
- Ladies' Wool and Cotton Vests, mixed ..... .30
- Ladies' Woolen Hose ..... .15
- Ladies' Umbrellas (steel rod) ..... .65
- Ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs (per doz.) ..... .35
- Ladies' Fur Lined Cape ..... \$11.00
- Ladies' Felt Cape ..... \$ 2.00
- Ladies' Fur Boas of every description, from \$1.00 up .....
- Ladies' Dress Goods, all kinds, from 20c a yard up .....
- Silk, by the yard, from 25c up .....
- Boys' Overcoats ..... \$ 1.50
- Men's Scotch Woolen Underwear ..... .75
- Men's Umbrellas (steel rod) ..... .90

## Men's Over-Shirts, Neckties, Socks, Gloves and Suspenders at half price.

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## The Ralston Physical Culture

MRS. HARRIS. Will begin the winter term of the Ralston Physical Culture in Room 3, in the A. O. U. W. hall, Yates street, commencing October 22nd. For hours and terms apply 42 Superior street.

## BULBS

JUST ARRIVED FROM HOLLAND DIRECT. For Sale at Lowest Prices.

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Jones & McNeill LIVERY STABLES. 100 JOHNSON STREET. Having taken over the above stables, we will be pleased to meet our old and new friends. We have just imported a carload of saddle and draft horses. Horses of all kinds for sale or exchange. Horses boarded by the day, week or month. A call solicited.

The Fairview Corporation, Ltd. The Directors of the Fairview Corporation, Limited, hereby give notice that an extraordinary general meeting of the shareholders will be held at the Corporation's Office at Fairview, British Columbia, on Tuesday, the 6th day of November, 1900, at 3 p. m. precisely, for the purpose of promoting a Company to acquire the assets and assume the liabilities of the Corporation; the capital stock of the new Company to be \$1,000,000, divided into 4,000,000 shares of 25c. each, each of such shares to be paid up to the extent of 22c. and assembled as to balance. Shareholders of the Corporation shall receive one share in new Company for each share they now hold. One half of assessment to be paid upon allotment and balance not less than \$4.00 from date of incorporation. Dated this 20th day of October, 1900. Signed on behalf of the Directors, RICHARD RUSSELL, President and Managing Director. G. A. ROBINSON, Secretary-Treasurer.



# THE SWING OF LIBERAL VICTORY

Victoria Theatre the Scene of an Enthusiastic Mass Meeting Last Night—Voters Solid For the Government.

The Efforts of the Administration on Behalf of the Laboring Classes Admirably Elucidated by Mr. Maxwell—Rousing Reception to the Candidates.

If any doubt existed in regard to the prospects of the election of the government candidates, it must have been dispelled last night when perhaps the most enthusiastic political meeting which has ever been held in the city of Victoria took place in the Victoria theatre. By 8 o'clock almost every seat in the big building was occupied, a noticeable feature of the gathering being the attendance of a large number of ladies, who occupied seats reserved for them in the boxes and in the two front rows of the orchestra circle. But the strange sex was out in force, and although in the earlier stages of the meeting interruptions were encountered, the laugh was so persistently turned upon the interrupter, that all captious criticism of the speeches was silenced before Mr. Maxwell rose to speak.

The platform had been beautifully decorated with potted plants, ferns and hawthorn, the background of the stage being composed of two large British ensigns, with a Canadian flag in the center, the whole surmounted by a picture of Her Majesty, Queen Victoria. The chairs of Messrs. Riley and Drury, too, were decorated with the flag of the Empire, to which the leader they support has rendered such signal service.

The walls were embellished with legends referring to the main issues of the campaign. Among them were noticed the following:

- Vote for Riley, Drury, and the Prosperity of Victoria.
- Vote for Riley, Drury, and the Party of Progress.
- Vote for Riley, Drury, and the Milit.
- Vote for Riley, Drury, and the Preferential Tariff.
- Vote for Riley, Drury, and the Government.
- Vote for Riley, Drury, and the Railway Co. to the North.

Seated on the platform when the curtain rose were the following gentlemen, who are to-day supporting the government cause in this city:

Messrs. Geo. B. Maxwell, Alex. Henderson, ex-Attorney-General, Geo. Riley, R. L. Drury, J. Kingham, W. H. Langley, John Piercy, Mr. Fraser, I. D. H. Warden, Capt. Cox, S. Perry Mills, Q. C., Wm. Dalby, W. H. Hanna, H. Munn, Alex. Wilson, H. McKendrick-Cleland, Ald. Brydon, A. B. Fraser, Ald. Stewart, Dr. Ernest Hall, Ald. John Hall, T. Burns, Capt. Buckholts, F. J. Deane, A. B. McNeill, Ald. J. S. Yates, D. G. Walker, Jas. Bell, Jno. Bell, Thos. Sorby, J. S. Crumb, Ald. Cameron, S. Sea, W. Ditchburn, Dr. T. J. Jones, Gordon Hunter, H. S. Salmon, Jno. Jardine, Dr. Mackenzie, E. V. Bodwell, —McGregor, A. E. McCandless, A. McF. Fraser, Ald. J. Kinsman, Walkley and Prout.

The singing of the Laurier quartette was one of the most delightful features of the gathering. Their campaign songs made a great hit with the audience, who insisted on a recall after each selection. The speeches were of high order. Mr. Hunter devoted his attention principally to the matter of trade, his terse treatment of that important subject being heartily appreciated by the crowd. Mr. Drury eclipsed all former efforts, in spite of the fact that his remarks were abbreviated to leave time for the visiting speakers, and the oration which he received would inflame the vanity of a less modest man. Whatever the issue of the campaign may be (and on that point there is little doubt) Mr. Drury has forged into the first rank of political speakers in this province.

Mr. Riley, although still indisposed, was able to speak sufficiently long for the audience to become infected with his good nature, while Mr. Henderson, unfortunately for the audience, was obliged by the lateness of the hour when he rose to speak, to curtail his speech to five minutes' length.

The effort of the evening undoubtedly was the wonderful address of Geo. B. Maxwell who, for an hour and a half, held the undivided attention of the audience, as he dwelt with the achievements of the government, particularly with reference to its efforts to relieve the disabilities under which the laboring classes suffered. In addition to the talent of being able to point a forcible argument.

Mr. Maxwell has the enviable gift of being able to tell a story well, the two qualifications making him irresistible on the platform.

The chair was occupied by L. P. Duff, who admirably discharged the duties of that office.

L. P. Duff, the chairman, expressed the pleasure he experienced and the honor which he felt it to be to preside at such a gathering. (Applause.) The circumstances, he said, which attended the meeting were notable. The government of the country, with the consent of the people of the country, had inaugurated a policy of consolidating the relations between the people of Canada and of the Motherland. That movement was opposed by Sir Charles Tupper, but so successfully was it carried out that the leader and symbol of that policy was recognized to be the Premier of Canada.

That policy was opposed by Sir Charles Tupper, Col. Prior and Mr. Earle, and is still opposed by those gentlemen. These gentlemen say that instead of giving these privileges in return for the abundant protection which we had received from the Motherland, that we should bargain with her. The man who held that view little understood the sentiments of the people of Canada. (Cheers.) These men believed that while our lips are bent to the language of devotion and loyalty our ears should be forever attuned for the clinking of the guineas. (Laughter and cheers.)

## MR. RILEY.

"The Nestor of Liberalism in Victoria, Mr. Geo. Riley" was the way the chairman introduced that gentleman, and which brought forth a storm of cheers as Mr. Riley stepped before the footlights. When the applause had subsided Mr. Riley expressed his inability to find fitting words to thank his audience for the kind reception he had met with. He was a supporter of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. He was in accord with his leader's every action. He did not desire to be a candidate but had been pressed into service by the convention. He did not intend to take up their time, but would deliver the form to Messrs. Maxwell and Henderson.

He—had been reading a report of one of Sir Charles Tupper's meetings in the East, in which that gentleman announced that he was going to sweep the country from one end to another. A small boy in the audience interjected, "Yes, mister, and with the same weapon."

The chairman, upon Mr. Riley resuming his seat, said that the senior candidate, with his customary modesty, had not mentioned his indisposition, which prevented him speaking at any length. He then introduced the Laurier quartette, which rendered "We're Had Enough of Tupper," the audience furnishing parenthesis of cheers.

Mr. Gordon Hunter was the next speaker.

## GORDON HUNTER.

Gordon Hunter felt it the greatest honor of his life to have the pleasure of addressing a Victoria audience in Victoria's favorite temple of amusement. The Liberals had a good cause and all they wanted to enable us to succeed was good judges. No doubt they had good judges in Victoria. There were grave issues in this campaign, and one of these was whether we were to have economic slavery or economic freedom. Another issue was free trade and protection. As far as he could reason for himself he never could understand why people wanted protection. He never could understand why one portion of a community should be taxed for the other portion. (Cheers.) A system of protection might have some redeeming features, but he did not see why 75 per cent. of the people should be taxed for the benefit of the few. The speaker then quoted trade figures from France, Germany, the United States and Great Britain, to show how far ahead of the other nations Great Britain was in trade. All the nations mentioned, with the exception of Great Britain, had a protective tariff, and yet the records showed that Great Britain's trade was far greater than all the other nations combined. In the United States, a highly protected country, there was unceasing trouble and unrest. There were dens of anarchy in all the countries mentioned, with the exception of Great Britain, and there they met with short shrift. The people in the United States were being slowly pressed to death by united capital. Great Britain is the only country that had discovered the principle upon which a stable government should stand. He continued:

"The preferential tariff is the first step towards the Introduction of Free Trade. I hope that the people of Canada will find that they have only got the first installment of this principle. The total trade of Great Britain the past year was \$4,000,000,000. On the same basis Canada with free trade and her present population would have a trade of \$500,000,000. (A Voice—No free trade in some things.) No there are some things people are better without; such as tobacco, spirits and beer." (Laughter.) Under Conservative rule in 1895 there

were \$182,000,000 deposited in the savings banks of Canada. In August of 1900 there were nearly \$300,000,000 showing that the amount was nearly doubled within a period of five years. The deposits had increased at the rate of nearly two and a half millions per month under a Liberal administration. Then there was less crime in proportion to the population. There were fewer mortgages on property, something that went to show that the country was more prosperous.

They have seen this in other cities and it could be seen in this city what the preferential tariff has done. The greatest stroke the Liberal government had made was to inaugurate this tariff. If the country is prosperous under it, why is it that the Conservative party is trying to get back into the old ways. The Conservative party is

## An Unhappy Trinity.

It is Tupper, the father, Tupper the son, and Hugh John Macdonald—the ghost of former greatness. (Laughter and applause.) The policy of the party was one of deflation, deception and disunion. What did Sir Charles Tupper do? He went to the Yukon and gathered together a lot of garbage. He made it into a bomb and he placed that bomb upon the floor of the House at Ottawa and then he sneaked off to Vancouver to hear the explosion. (Laughter.) The speaker then told again the story of the

doubt in the mind of any reasonable man that the Liberal party was

## Going Back to Power.

Sir Charles practically gave up the fight when he hurried off to Nova Scotia in search of his son saying, like David of old: "Is the young man safe, is the young man safe?" (Laughter and cheers.)

There is no doubt that the Liberal party is going to be returned. Maxwell will be returned in Burrard; Morrison will be returned in New Westminster; Galt will be returned for Vancouver; Riley and Drury will be returned from Victoria, and Ralph Smith will be returned from Burrard, while Clive Phillips (hypen) Wolley will come back here with the most dilapidated hypen on record. (Applause.)

You have heard it stated that a branch of the royal mint is to be established in Canada. That mint will undoubtedly be located somewhere in British Columbia. The question of the mint will be settled in caucus. But who will be there to represent Victoria unless Drury and Riley are returned? (A Voice—We don't need them.) This little city can speak for itself. If there is anything this city requires it is railway connection with the north, and it stands to reason that two members from this city in sympathy with the government can do more than two men who are opposed to the govern-

ment only now on the eve of an election were ready to

## Construct a Rifle Range

The facts were that the department was ready two years ago to proceed with that range, but were met by a big petition praying that it be not constructed on the site selected. That difficulty had now been settled, and the range was being built. No fair-minded man could make such a charge.

The Colonist claimed the Dominion government had refused aid to the V. Y. & E. Was it not a fact, however, that the legislature had cancelled that aid and although there was something of a history in connection with the matter, the Dominion House not knowing the facts, made a conclusion that British Columbia did not want the road, in view of the action of the legislature.

There was something that British Columbia had to learn, and that was that we had to look well to our own affairs and keep our own House in order if we desired to receive proper recognition at Ottawa. (Loud Applause.)

Col. Prior claimed, too, that the Conservative government had given British Columbia a representation. Conceding even that Col. Prior was a full fledged cabinet minister, under what circumstances did he enter the cabinet? He went in when Clarke Wallace walked out because he would not agree to the coercion of Manitoba. The government

with him than with a French Roman Catholic.

No. 6 pamphlet and Sir Charles Tupper's inflammatory speech in Montreal, in which he appealed to the prejudices of the French race by representing Sir Wilfrid Laurier as an Imperialist who wanted them saddled with \$40,000,000 for war purposes alone, was another example of Sir Charles's tactics. His campaign culminated when he expressed himself as regarding Laurier as "too British for him."

All this was done for but one object, to foment hatred between the two races.

How did Sir Wilfrid Laurier's expressions contrast with these? Speaking of the British preference at Montreal he said: "For my part, I have no mystery to make. I gave it because

## I Love England."

He said this, too, among thousands of his compatriots. (Cheers.)

Concluding, Mr. Drury said that no city in Canada was so highly favored in regard to representation as Victoria, as she had one-third of the British Columbia representatives.

He paid a loyal tribute to Her Majesty, who through her long life had given such an example to her subjects in her unblemished life. If all could not shed their blood for her on the battlefield, all could at least show they were good citizens by wearing the white flower of a blameless life. (Cheers.) If he were not

Mr. Drury, he said, and in doing so had prophesied that he would be recognized not only as one of the strongest public men in the city, but in the provinces. (Cheers.) He then called on the Laurier quartette, who contributed "We're Satisfied With Laurier," scoring another hit with the audience, who insisted on a recall.

## GEO. R. MAXWELL.

There is just enough of the Scotch accent to Mr. Maxwell's voice to give his words a most pleasing effect. He has been heard in this city before, but never to better advantage than last evening. He spoke for an hour and thirty-five minutes, and had he gone on for an hour longer the audience would gladly have listened to him. He began in a happy story-telling mood, and throughout his speech he interlarded dry political facts with every gleam of humor that set off his remarks to good advantage. He complimented Mr. Drury on the able address he had just delivered, and said that it would be a mistake for the electors of Victoria to not send him to Ottawa, where he would have a wider sphere in which to display his matchless oratorical ability. He had no doubt but that they would do so. He then said in effect:

Give the young man a chance, not only for himself but for the honor of the city and the province. It gives me great pleasure to be here again to support by good Presbyterian brother, Mr. Riley. (Prolonged laughter.) Somebody says he is not a Presbyterian. Well, he's good enough to be one anyway. I don't know a business man in Victoria who would make a better member. You will have

## Two Good Members.

for they will be members. I know that the Liberals will all vote for them, and I know that all sensible Conservatives will vote for them, too.

As long as the lamp holds out to burn, the greatest Tory may return.

And there will be such a return on the 7th of November as will elect these two men by an overwhelming majority. (Laughter and applause.)

After a few witty remarks, to put the audience in good humor, as he said, Mr. Maxwell continued:

Colonel Prior is a good fellow. He can tell a good story, sing a song and make himself quite agreeable. As far as Mr. Earle is concerned I can't say much about him, for I never heard his voice in the House, excepting once, when he said something about thinned meats. (Laughter.) It is time that the city of Victoria was represented in the way it should be, and you cannot do better than send the two Liberal candidates there. The country never had a better government than that of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. I know something about the world and the hard end of life, as I had to go into the pit when I was nine years of age. I have been deeply interested in legislation that would affect the working classes of Canada, and I want to appeal to you in all sincerity to support the man who for the first time placed such legislation upon the statute books of Canada. The hopes and aspirations of the workman were now nearer a realization than ever before. Notwithstanding all that has been said in favor of the capitalist, I do not believe in the theory of self-made men. No man can make himself either spiritually, morally or physically. Every man depends upon some one to help him. A government is not doing its duty unless it gives heed to the wishes of the people and makes it possible for them to enjoy their homes. The people should be properly trained to take the place that they occupy in life. This is the first Dominion government that has done anything substantial so far as

The Interests of the Working Man are concerned.

The Conservative party was kept in power for eighteen years by most contemptible means. If Sir John A. Macdonald was alive to-day we would have a man of sense. If you will read the life of Sir John A. Macdonald, written by his secretary, Mr. Poirer, you will find that it was his deep sympathy that made him so popular. It was thus he won esteem from the French as well as the English, and was kept in power for years. Sir Wilfrid Laurier to-day occupies the high position that Sir John A. Macdonald occupied during his life. He is a man of matchless parts. See what he has done for the working men so far as government contracts are concerned. You know how these contracts were given out under Conservative rule. You know that the lowest tenderer never had any show. The contracts were given to Larkin, Connolly & Co. They got them at practically their own figure, and then they gave a share of the proceeds to a campaign fund to keep up the machine. You remember how these contracts were worked. The original contractors would submit them, and the parties taking them would find that they could not make any money at ordinary wages, so they would bring in cheap labor and sell down wages. This state of things went on for years, until at last all over Canada there were cries for some change.

Under the Liberal government a resolution was introduced that all subletting of contracts be abolished, and under the provisions of that resolution all contractors must pay the

## Union Scale of Wages.

That resolution when brought up for discussion in the House had most specious arguments introduced against it.

The Conservatives will tell you that this is an election dodge. To show you how shortsighted the government is in the matter let me tell you that immediately after its passage Mr. Donohue was appointed as a labor commissioner and sent all over Canada to see that the provisions of the resolution were carried out. He was authorized to make a demand upon the contractors to carry out its provisions, and in many cases he forced them to pay the union scale of wages. By the adoption of this policy the government has contributed materially to the interests of labor.

The government has further recognized the union label. Now, I cannot for the life of me see why there should be any objection to the use of the union label. No manufacturer is named to identify his name with his goods, just as with the working men who adopt the label. It is a

Guarantee to the Purchaser of the goods that none but competent union labor has been employed in its production. The speaker then devoted considerable time to the Senate, or rather the Cob

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# VOTE FOR



R. L. DRURY.



GEO. RILEY.

## The Liberal Candidates.

Brandon meeting, which has been published several times and is now generally known as one of the greatest fiasco of the Conservative campaign. The same plan of campaign had been pursued with respect to all the high members of the government from Sir Wilfrid Laurier down. Mr. Blair was accused of being a thief but the moment the traders put their statements in such shape that the courts could take hold of them they were quickly smoked out of their holes.

## The Policy of Deception

was carried on in all parts of the country. Do we not find Sir Charles Tupper saying in Quebec that Sir Wilfrid Laurier is too British for him? At the same time in other parts of the country we find his henchmen saying that Laurier is disloyal. Col. Prior says that the Premier likes French sons and French heirs-looms. It is well known that French blood runs in the veins of most British, Frenchmen and Englishmen had leaped together in the trenches of Sebastopol, they slept together at Paardeberg, and they entered shoulder to shoulder that den of barbarism—China. (Loud applause.) Suppose that Providence had ordained that we were all living under French laws and some French bully entered the house of Col. Prior and said that he would not have the preference abrogated. (Applause.) Col. Prior claimed that the Liberal government had taxed the people ten millions of dollars more than the Conservatives. He omitted altogether to say that the volume of trade had increased by millions over what it was under Conservative rule. Supposing that the city of Victoria should increase as much in population in the next four years as in the past eighteen, would the amount of expenditure of the council remain stationary? If there was such a growth and the council failed to see to the occasion they would very soon be told that they had outlived their usefulness.

Their opponents failed to make allowance for the dispatch of the contingent and the administration of the Yukon, or for the deepening of the canal system. Yet, despite these extraordinary expenditures, the revenue last year was sufficient to meet ordinary expenditure and to transfer \$750,000 to the decrease of the debt. (Cheers.)

ment. As the speaker concluded he was again loudly applauded.

## R. L. DRURY.

R. L. Drury received an ovation upon coming forward, and gracefully expressed his appreciation of the honor. The audience cheered him again and again before he was allowed to speak.

The question of the British preference, he said, after his introductory remarks, had been discussed somewhat fully. It had been shown that it meant \$62,000,000 to the people of Victoria, and indirectly \$3,000,000 in Canadian contracts for war supplies. It at first was claimed that it would not work any hardship to the manufacturers. But it had been shown in interviews that it had injuriously affected some of the manufacturers of Victoria, and now Col. Prior, who at first had little to say against it, called it a curse. If such were the case, why did he not propose to use his influence to have it wiped out. Such would be only

A Consistent Course.

for him to pursue, and the electors should exact a pledge from him before he went to the polls that he would seek to have the preference abrogated. (Applause.) Col. Prior claimed that the Liberal government had taxed the people ten millions of dollars more than the Conservatives. He omitted altogether to say that the volume of trade had increased by millions over what it was under Conservative rule. Supposing that the city of Victoria should increase as much in population in the next four years as in the past eighteen, would the amount of expenditure of the council remain stationary? If there was such a growth and the council failed to see to the occasion they would very soon be told that they had outlived their usefulness.

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Col. Prior claimed that the government

dared not open a seat in Ontario, so strong was the feeling against them. The man who followed Clarke Wallace became a party to the coercion, and his appointment was not a proper

Recognition of British Columbia claims. Had it been he would not have narrowly escaped defeat at the consequent election, but would have been returned by a thousand of a majority.

Yet the same Conservative party, which Col. Prior said was wedded to a single line of policy, had utterly abandoned the coercion of Manitoba, a principle for which Sir Charles Tupper had once professed that he would lay down his life. (Applause.)

Still, he was prepared to say that the claims of British Columbia to cabinet representation were ten times greater than they had ever been under a Conservative government. (Cheers.) British Columbia now had tried and experienced representatives, and if all six Liberals were elected they would get together, decide on a man from British Columbia for a cabinet portfolio, press his claims on Sir Wilfrid, and, if accepted, "we will expect him to stand by the province, and I know he will," added the speaker. (Applause.)

## Element of Scandal

had entered largely into the campaign, Mr. Earle making sweeping general charges. He had claimed that Mr. Greenish had made hundreds of thousands of dollars out of the purchase of the Drummond County railway. The railway had been purchased by the government and it was one of the best bargains the government ever made. When a committee of inquiry was formed they failed to establish a single charge, and even Mr. Haggart backed out and said that they did not make any charges of personal corruption. Did any British Columbia member ever sell anything to the government? Yet he would never impute anything corrupt in such a proceeding. Surely his opponents would be fair with them. (Applause.)

The too-British attitude of the opposition leader was referred to as an example of the sectionalism of Sir Charles Tupper. When speaking in Winnipeg, when the Manitoba school question was an acute one, he had failed to discuss the real issue, but asked the audience if they thought their interests would be safer

a candidate he would say that no city had given greater proof of its loyalty than Victoria. He hoped it would send two supporters to Sir Wilfrid Laurier, who had given the best years of his life to the consolidation of Canada, and who by appealing to the higher instincts of humanity had lifted Canada into a sphere of prominence never occupied before.

The last four years had been the brightest in the records of the Dominion. Canada was to-day the brightest star in the constellation of colonies under that flag which, wherever it floats, is the symbol of freedom. (Prolonged cheers.) At the conclusion of Mr. Drury's address tumultuous cheering broke out in the theatre, which was renewed when a lady in one of the boxes tossed a beautiful bouquet to the talented candidate.

Thereupon Chairman Duff claimed recognition as a prophet whose predictions had been fulfilled. He had nominated

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### WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria  
Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Nov. 3-5 a.m.—An extensive  
high barometer area now covers the west-  
ern portion of the Continent. As its east-  
ward movement is slow, it will probably  
cause a temporary fair spell, with sharp  
frosts at night, throughout this province.  
Rain is falling over portions of Oregon  
and in Manitoba, while a light snowfall  
has occurred at Battleford, Qu'Appelle and  
Prince Albert.

### Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday.  
Victoria and vicinity—Light or moderate  
winds, mostly from the north and east,  
generally fair, with sharp frosts at night.  
Lower Mainland—Light variable winds,  
fair, with sharp frosts at night.

### Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.28; temperature,  
42; minimum, 41; wind, calm; weather,  
clear.  
New Westminster—Barometer, 30.28;  
temperature, 36; minimum, 34; wind, calm;  
weather, cloudy.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.24; tempera-  
ture, 32; minimum, 32; wind, calm;  
weather, fair.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; tem-  
perature, 58; minimum, 56; wind, calm;  
weather, clear.

## CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

—Drill hall Saturday night.

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dered at the drill hall Saturday night.

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chairs call on Smith & Champion, 100  
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—Finnish Haddies at Jameson's, 33  
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ments, at Stewart's, corner Yates and  
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—The Bishop of Columbia will con-  
duct the first prayer meeting of the  
winter series held in the Y. W. C. A.  
rooms at 5 o'clock this afternoon. Mem-  
bers of the association and their friends  
are cordially invited. The Rev. Dr.  
Campbell will conduct the meeting on  
November 10th.

—The meeting called by the Conserva-  
tive representative in John Bros. hall  
last evening did not materialize. Messrs.  
Earle and Prior and some five or six  
supporters went out to the hall and  
waited till about 8.30 o'clock, but no  
audience showed up, and the two Con-  
servative candidates were obliged to  
postpone the meeting.

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and Flat Office Desks just received by  
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—An open session of the S. S. of the  
Centennial church will be held to-mor-  
row afternoon. Special music will be  
provided, and Rev. R. Hughes and Col.  
Reed, of Kansas City, will deliver ad-  
dresses.

—Miss Violet Pauline, accompanied by  
the Misses Pauline, left last evening for  
Seattle on the steamer Rosalie, where she  
will shortly be married to Charles  
Frank, of the N. Y. K. line, Kinshu  
Maru.

Get your costume for the big masquerade.

The death occurred this morning at  
the family residence, 85 Meers street, of  
Elizabeth, youngest daughter of the late  
John Watkins. Deceased was 44 years  
of age. The funeral takes place on  
Monday at 2.30 p. m.

—A meeting of the Victoria District  
Farmers' Institute will be held at Sid-  
ney this evening, when James Stone-  
house, Dominion dairy expert, will de-  
liver an address. A special train, leaving  
Hillside avenue at 7.30 o'clock, will  
carry all going from the city.

Just received direct from England, a  
complete stock of Hockey Sticks, Foot-  
balls, Walking Sticks, etc., at Henry  
Short & Sons.

—The flag pole over on the govern-  
ment grounds is receiving a new coat  
of paint to-day. The work is being  
done by Thomas Harman, whose posi-  
tion at the head of the pole was an in-  
teresting spectacle to passing pedestri-  
ans.

—F. J. Deane, secretary of the com-  
mission appointed to inquire into the  
Chinese question has arranged for a  
conference with the merchant tailors of  
the city and their employees. The con-  
ference will be held on Monday evening  
over Salmon's tobacco store.

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—The lecture on "New York" by Rev.  
W. W. Baer promises to be a great suc-  
cess, already quite a number of tickets  
have been sold, and there is still a de-  
mand. A number of good views of the  
American capital will be thrown upon  
the screen by a splendid vapor light,  
and the lecturer will tell some stories of  
what he saw and heard while there. An  
opportunity is thus given to all the  
friends of the church to aid the twentieth  
century fund, which closes this month,  
toward which the proceeds of this even-  
ing's entertainment will be devoted.  
Special rates will be given for the chil-  
dren.

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—Ratepayers are again reminded of  
the big meeting in the theatre to-night  
for the purpose of explaining the nature  
of the railway proposition now before  
the city council. Mr. Rodwell will ex-  
plain the concessions sought and the na-  
ture of the service which is to be given  
in return, and as the by-law will in all  
probability soon be submitted to the  
ratepayers it is important that all electors,  
and especially property owners,  
should bear his address. The boxes and  
the two front rows in the orchestra cir-  
cle will be reserved for ladies and their  
escorts.

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—The Mayor has called a meeting of  
the Patriotic committee for Monday to  
take in consideration what steps shall  
be taken to welcome home the members  
of the first contingent who are expected  
to reach Victoria about the middle of the  
week. Although a number of sugges-  
tions have been advanced—nothing de-  
finite whatever has been decided upon,  
but some plan will be evolved at the  
meeting in question.

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—The four young ladies who have  
created quite a sensation during the  
past few days by their decidedly unique  
methods of working in the interests of  
the Protestant Orphanage here left last  
evening on the Victorian, en route East.  
Although two of their number emphati-  
cally informed the Times that the con-  
cert would be given in the A. O. U. W.  
hall this evening, as per announcement,  
evidently courage and resolution desert-  
ed them as the crucial day arrived. In-  
terested Victorians will consequently  
have no opportunity to pass judgment  
on the talents of the quartette. At any  
rate, something of a superior order  
would have been expected, as a dollar  
admittance charge would justify the  
most rosiest anticipations in this re-  
spect. However, there is no record of  
any heart having been broken by their  
abrupt departure.

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—Those interested in the Canadian  
Socialist League assembled in the Wil-  
liam's building last evening and organ-  
ized a Victoria branch of that league.  
The objects of the league were discussed  
and the following officers chosen to gov-  
ern the branch: President, O. L.  
Charlton; vice-president, J. A. Stow; re-  
cording secretary, Fred. Hodges; treas-  
urer, Fred. Hodges; librarian, Harold  
Burnett. By-law and executive com-  
mittees were appointed to draft by-laws  
for the new branch. Meetings will be  
held by the branch every Tuesday eve-  
ning commencing at 8 o'clock in a room  
of the William's block.

Crosse & Blackwell's Marmalade at  
Jameson's, 33 Port street.

—About 9 o'clock last evening an alarm  
from box 52 called the fire department  
to the corner of Government and Chat-  
ham street, where a fire was burning  
merely in a box full of papers and rags  
in an attic in the rear of a China wash-  
house. All the central apparatus was  
taken out as the vicinity is one in which  
a fire of extensive proportions could  
start. The fire was palpably of incendi-  
ary origin, and the rags and paper had  
been so arranged as to communicate the  
blaze to the wood work, which is as dry  
as timber. The statement in the morn-  
ing paper in the account of the fire, and  
the aerial truck had gone into the ditch  
on Pembroke street is contradicted by  
the chief. The thick layer of mud on  
this thoroughfare, however, retarded the  
progress of the big apparatus.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

A Very Successful Meeting Held at  
Albion Last Saturday.

James Stonehouse, of the government  
dairying staff in Assiniboia, gave a most  
interesting address, confined principally  
to dairying, at a meeting of the Farm-  
ers' Institute held at Albion on Satur-  
day last. Mr. Stonehouse said that  
while Danish butter still held the lead  
among the older countries, and that  
since separators had come into the field,  
Canadian butter was rapidly coming to  
the front, although the standard must  
be raised still higher before the people  
of the Dominion can hope to compete  
successfully with all comers. Mr. Stone-  
house also dealt with the necessity of  
dairymen raising the right kind of stock  
and of weeding out the unprofitable cows  
in order to get the best results as to  
milk and butterfat. That young cows  
must be bred and educated to that end  
if we expect to make dairying thor-  
oughly profitable. He went on to show how  
necessary it is to vary the feed accord-  
ing to the requirements of different  
breeds of cattle for the best production  
of milk rich in butterfat, and also stated  
that the comfort of milking cows should  
be strictly attended to, especially in hot  
weather, the buildings ought to be kept  
scrupulously clean and well ventilated,  
not only for the sake of the cattle but  
also to prevent the milk from becoming  
tainted by odors from the stable.

After the meeting a general discussion  
took place, many questions being asked  
and answered very satisfactorily, much  
good information being elicited. A  
very hearty vote of thanks had been  
accorded to Mr. Stonehouse, the meet-  
ing adjourned.

WHERE IS SIDNEY ARNOLD?

Provincial Police Are Looking for a  
Victoria West Man—Disappeared  
Last Saturday.

Although not officially notified that the  
man has disappeared, the provincial po-  
lice are making inquiries with a  
view to learning the whereabouts of  
one Sidney Arnold, who has not been  
seen since last Saturday. At that time  
Mr. Arnold was in Esquimalt, and it is  
said he had Messrs. Prior and Earle's  
nomination papers in his pocket. Ac-  
cording to New Westminster yesterday  
to speak at the Liberal meeting, and  
headquarters he has vanished without  
leaving a trace.

Mr. Arnold lived in a private boarding  
house at Victoria West. He took an  
active part in politics and acted as  
chairman at the opposition meeting re-  
cently held in Esquimalt. His disap-  
pearance is hard to account for, and his  
friends are growing anxious as to his  
whereabouts.

AT-PARSON'S BRIDGE.

The electors of Parson's Bridge dis-  
trict held a very successful meeting last  
night in Price's hall. Mr. Helgesen,  
who acted as chairman, gave a very in-  
teresting discourse on politics in the good  
old days, when open voting was in  
vogue—paying a tribute to the memory  
of the late Hon. Amor DeCosmos, one  
of the fathers of confederation. Politics,  
from the farmer's standpoint, were ably  
discussed by Mr. Helgesen.

Mr. Amundsen, as an old New Brun-  
swick, went fully into the intercolonial  
railway question, supporting his argu-  
ments by facts and figures, which were  
most conclusive and ably combatting the  
arguments that have been advanced by  
Col. Prior to the farmers.

Mr. George E. Powell then gave a com-  
prehensive review of the questions of the  
day.

There is no doubt whatever that there  
is a great surprise in store for the Con-  
servatives as far as Meteholm is con-  
cerned, judging from the unqualified suc-  
cess of the meeting.

THE CATHOLIC LADIES' BAZAAR.

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## THE PASSING THROG.

Arrivals of the Day at City Hotels—Gossip  
of the Corridors.

James Palmer, of London, England,  
brother of Thos. Palmer, of the city de-  
tective department, arrived on Thursday  
evening at the K. will in all probability take  
up his future residence in the Great  
West. Like his brother and other mem-  
bers of the family, Mr. Palmer has had  
wide experience in police work, having  
been a member of the Metropolitan force  
of London for five years. He was also  
in the force in the West Riding of  
Yorkshire, and detective on the Great  
Eastern railway. He came over the C.  
P. R. and en route remained in some of  
the Eastern cities for several days. He  
is highly impressed with the Great Dom-  
inion from east to west, and in this re-  
spect voices the opinion of the majority  
of others who hail from the metropolis  
of the empire.

G. St. Jordan, formerly of Goodwin &  
Jordan, piano makers of Victoria, is in  
the city. He is a guest of Mrs. Dalby,  
Spring Ridge. Since leaving this city  
for the U. S. Mr. Jordan has been  
traveling extensively, the fire having  
made a trip around the world and the  
latter having visited Central and South  
America.

Frank Lloyd, a former mill owner of  
Ladysmith, who sold his interest in the  
Leura Mining company, and now  
resides at Westholme, is in the city. He  
is registered at the Dawson hotel.

B. J. P. Smith, of the Slater Shoe  
Company, Montreal, and John Damer,  
of the King Shoe Company, Toron-  
to, are in the city. They are guests at  
the Victoria hotel.

Mrs. M. H. Thornley and Miss H.  
Dolfer, of San Francisco, are in the  
city. They have just returned from the  
Paris exposition, and are guests at the  
Dominion.

Rev. W. R. Allen arrived in the city  
a couple of days ago after having ob-  
tained a leave of absence for six months  
from the diocese of New Westminster.







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Notice of Assignment

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Liability.

Pursuant to the "Creditors' Trust Deeds  
Act and Amending Acts," notice is given  
that the KOOTENAY LUMBER COM-  
PANY, LIMITED LIABILITY, whose  
places of business are at the City of Victoria  
and at Comox, B. C., has by deed  
dated 3rd day of October, 1900, assigned  
all their personal estate, credits and ef-  
fects which may be seized and sold under  
execution, and all their real estate to  
JOHN FREDERICK HELLAWELL, of the  
City of Vancouver, B. C., accountant, in  
trust for the general benefit of their cred-  
itors, which deed was executed by the said  
KOOTENAY LUMBER COMPANY, LIMITED  
LIABILITY, on the 3rd day of October,  
1900, and JOHN FREDERICK HELLAWELL,  
on the 9th day of October, 1900.

Creditors of the KOOTENAY LUMBER  
COMPANY, LIMITED LIABILITY, are  
required to file their claims with the trust-  
ee as provided for by the Act stating  
the securities held by them, on or before  
the day of the said JOHN FREDERICK  
HELLAWELL, No. 510 Hastings street,  
Vancouver, B. C.

After the date of the said meeting the  
trustee will proceed to distribute the as-  
sets of the trust among the creditors  
entitled thereto, having regard only to  
the claims of which he has had notice,  
and shall not be liable for the said assets  
for the proceeds of the said trust estate or  
any part thereof so distributed to any  
creditor of whose claim he has not had notice  
at the time of the distribution thereof.  
Dated 10th day of October, A. D. 1900.

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A. D. 1900, or as soon thereafter as the  
same can be heard, for a transfer of the  
license held for the sale of wine, spirits  
and liquors by Dora Voss, on the premises  
known as the "Queen's Hotel," situate on  
the northwest corner of Johnson and Stora  
streets, in the said City of Victoria, to  
Harriet B. Hastings, of the same place.  
Dated the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1900.

DORA VOSS.

By her attorney in fact, Hiram Leiser.

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## THE SWING OF LIBERAL VICTORY

(Continued from page 3.)

servative portion of it. He said: I wish some day a flash light could be taken of that body. You haven't the slightest conception of what our Senate is composed of. These men have grown old and decrepit in the service of our country, and when the union label bill was brought to them why they chuckled it out. Mr. Donoghue was sent to talk to them. Mr. Donoghue is Irish and something of a humorist. Just think of sending a humorist to talk to the Senate. He told them stories, he talked with them, he reasoned with them; but in spite of his reasons, in spite of his facts, they

Chucked the Bill Out

again. Colonel Prior and Mr. Earle will tell you that these men saved Canada. I believe these men saved Canada. You never can tell what uses Providence will put some men to. They also attached a clause to the bill making labor unions unlawful. It would be hard to find a body of men like them—even the Kamschatka. I still will be told by Prior and Earle that they saved Canada. I don't think there was a single member on the Conservative side of the Senate that knew anything about the trades unions. Yet for the last fifteen years there have been men in that Senate that have lived 300 years ago. Just think of it—the bulwark of the Conservative party—the men who are lauded to the skies to-day. The bill came back to the House and the clause was struck out. It went to the Senate again, and these wise men from the east—some of them from the west, too—again inserted the clause making trades unions illegal. I ask in all fairness, Smith-Curtis, what among you who is a member of a trades union, one of the most beneficial things that the country has, I ask you to vote for Drury and Riley to show them that you do not agree with them so far as trades unions are concerned.

There are times when disputes will arise between employer and employee, and there are strikes. I know something of the hardships and sufferings that come to the lumps of the workingman on such occasions. I am glad to see that so far as Canada is concerned these strikes are not as frequent as on the other side of the line. Measures have been introduced paving the way for

Boards of Arbitration

and conciliation. The step towards conciliation is a good one, as was demonstrated at Rossland a few months ago when Mr. Clute, Mr. Ralph Smith and Smith-Curtis brought about a settlement of the differences existing between the miners and the mine owners. In the matter of the longshoremen's strike in Vancouver, I had the pleasure of appointing a man to settle this dispute. He went to the men, got their side of the story, and then went to Seattle and got the steamboat company's side. The result was that everything was amicably arranged in a few days, and the men went back to work. Wherever possible it is well to bring in some disinterested party so that a strike may be averted.

A labor bureau has also been established by the present government to collect statistics and other data of interest to workmen and men, all of them laboring men have been appointed to gather the information.

One more question I wish to deal with and that is the

Allen Labor Law.

The Conservative party brought up this bill year after year, and year after year it was knocked out again. But this bill is in force now that permits an officer to send back any foreigner who comes to this country under contract. As a result of this legislation no alien can take the place of a Canadian. Another important point in the bill is that the government is in connection with the sweating system. The Conservative government gave out contracts for different articles in such a way that it was found that there were women with fathers and mothers, children to support, who were working ten hours per

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day for 25 cents—women who were being swayed to death for the benefit of the people of Canada. Mulock had made it a condition that every contractor taking work from the government shall pay the union scale of wages.

I am a believer in

Government Ownership

and that state of affairs is coming. In this connection it might be mentioned that the government owned the telegraph line which had been built to the Yukon and that line was built by day labor, something that the labor unions ask for.

Col. Prior has said that there were no British Columbians employed on that line. Never was a more malicious lie uttered than when he said that the men at work on the line were all Frenchmen. There are only fifteen Frenchmen employed on the line, and what are they but Canadians. There are fifty or sixty British Columbians employed on that line. (A voice—Where did they come from before they struck Vancouver?)

Where did they come from? (Laughter and silence on the part of the questioner.)

At Atlin Mr. Charleston advertised for fifty men at \$3 per day and board and only two men answered the advertisement. I will give Mr. Bergson at Quebec to-morrow what Col. Prior is saying about his countrymen and I believe there will be something to settle after awhile. (Laughter.) No Frenchman need be ashamed of his country. They had just as good right to sing the national anthem as a Scotchman has to sing "God Save the King." (Laughter and shouts of go on, Scotty.)

I hope the words French and British will soon be a thing of the past. I believe no people in Canada are more sympathetic or kinder hearted than the French, and I want to go back to the beginning to the days of Butcher and Shakespeare, who I believe did the best they could. When they passed away then we had the reign of Prior and Earle. What did Col. Prior do on the Chinese question? Ask him? Absolutely nothing. If the Conservative party was in power to-morrow

Col. Prior Would Do Nothing

to restrict Chinese immigration. In 1896 the Liberal party took this question in hand. The Conservative party would not touch it. We tried to make them realize that it was a burning question and after I brought it up Col. Prior had to do something. Who are the men that demand Chinese—who want cheap labor? It is the canny men. It is the Turners and others of that stamp. Who brought the Japs in? If you take the trouble to look it up you will find that the men who brought in these Japs are the men who are supporting the Conservative party. Down in the East we were four men against great odds. The East is strongly opposed to taxing men. They are of the idea that the doors should be thrown open to them, and that we should Christianize these Chinamen and Japs and make them better. Well, I will give them that job to do. (Laughter and applause.) The churches too are arrayed against us, and the capitalists say we must have cheap labor to develop the country. If British Columbia, with its vast wealth, is not able to pay a living wage to a white man to develop it then in the name of God let it stay where it is. (Cheers.) The Liberal government in four years did as much for us on this question as did the Conservative party in sixteen years. Sir Wilfrid said in introducing the bill in 1896

The Tax on Chinese

that he did not consider it final.

The royal commission was appointed at the request of the trades and labor council of Vancouver. When they make their report it may educate the people of the East as to the true state of affairs. The Conservatives had appointed a commission to look into these matters, but it was a biased commission, and its re-

port was of no benefit. To-day we had good men on the commission, men who would go about the matter in a proper manner, and as a result they will have such an overwhelming mass of testimony that some measure that will prevent this province from being overrun with a class of men who, although they may be good enough for China, are not good enough for us. The Liberal government is doing all this to-day. Again I say to every man who has to earn his bread by the sweat of his brow, I hold that it is your duty to record your vote in favor of Riley and Drury.

Col. Prior magnifies facts about the government not doing anything for British Columbia. The Yukon-Teslin line of railway would have been a good thing for this country, and I fail to see what reason anyone had for not supporting the government on that question. "We were told it was a deal and a steal. The Conservative party has been mixed up in so many of these deals and steals that it thinks everybody is like itself. The Conservatives at that time were anxious to have the road go via Edmonton. Speaker then went into details regarding the Yukon-Teslin bill, which are familiar to all readers of the Times. He then continued:

I don't know that the Conservative party ever did much for British Columbia. True they built the post office in Vancouver and paid a high figure for a building that is now being continually braced to keep it from tumbling down. The work was not given to British Columbians either, the contract being given to a man from Brockville. True, they built the railroad, but they had to do that. People simply had to get out of a country where there was nothing to do. The party spent so much time

Fighting Among Themselves

that they had no time for anything else. The old Conservative party did not do it. If you want a speech of two hours in length on the corruption of the old Conservative party, I can give it to you, and I will give it to you before the 15th of November.

The increase in trade since the Liberal party came into power is something wonderful. New life has been infused into the whole trade of the Dominion and to-day we are exporting more than ever before. To-day Canadian goods are on the market in Great Britain.

Under their own name. Four years ago it was as American goods they found a place.

In conclusion, I ask you as good citizens of Victoria, whether Liberal or Conservative, are you going to turn back the hands of time by electing a Conservative government? Are you going to turn your backs upon the man that has done so much for Canada? I know that I cannot conceive of such a thing, for I know that you will be true to your own interests.

The speaker concluded amid applause.

ALEX. HENDERSON.

Hon. Alex. Henderson spoke but briefly, as it was then nearly midnight.

He reminded the audience that a Victoria man, Hon. Edgar Dewdney, was running against Anaxim Morrison, and had promised, if elected, to come and live under their own name. The voters are now considering. "The voters are now considering," said Mr. Henderson, "whether he is worth the risk. But we do not intend to deprive you of Mr. Dewdney. I think he will be more useful in Victoria." (Laughter and applause.)

He predicted a general Liberal triumph on election day, and advised Victoria to fall into line in order that she might join in the jubilation. (Prolonged applause.)

A vote of thanks to the chair, the visiting speakers and the quartette was moved by R. Hall, M.P.P., and G. McCandless, and with cheers for the Queen and the candidates the meeting dispersed.

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The Mayor of Liverpool entertained on Wednesday at luncheon twenty-four invalided Canadians from South Africa, who are to start for home on the Carthaginian. He expressed his regret that he had not been earlier informed as to the date of their departure, so that he might have assembled the principal people of the city to meet them.

## A STRANGE CASE

EYE TROUBLE WHICH DEVELOPED INTO RUNNING SORES.

Doctors Said It Was Consumption of the Blood, and Recovery Was Looked upon as Almost Hopeless—Dr. Williams' Pink Pills wrought a Cure.

From the Herald, Georgetown, Ont.

Our reporter recently had the pleasure of calling on Mr. Wm. Thompson, paper-maker, at Wm. Barber & Bros' mill, a well known and respected citizen of our town, for the purpose of acquiring the details of his son's long illness and his remarkable recovery through the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. Mr. Thompson kindly gave us the following information, which will speak for itself. "About two and a half years ago my eldest son, Garnet, who is fifteen years old, took what I supposed to be inflammation in his left eye. He was taken to a physician, who advised me to take him to an eye specialist, which I did, only to find out that he had lost the sight of the eye completely. The disease spread from his eye to his wrist, which became greatly swollen, and was no less than eleven times. His whole arm was completely useless, although he was not suffering any pain. From his wrist it went to his foot which was also lamed a couple of times, but without bringing relief. The next move of the trouble was to the upper part of the leg, where it broke out, large quantities of matter running from the sore. All this time my boy was under the best treatment I could procure, but with little or no effect. The trouble was pronounced consumption of the blood, and I was told by the doctors that he would not come across a case like it in five hundred. When almost discouraged and not knowing what to do for the best, a friend of mine urged me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, saying that he had a son who was afflicted with a somewhat similar disease and had been cured by the pills. I decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and secured some of them at the drug store, and after my boy had taken two boxes I could see the color coming back to his sallow complexion and noted a decided change for the better. He went on taking them and in a few months from the time he started to use them I considered him perfectly cured and not a trace of the disease left, except his blind eye, the sight of which he had just before started to use the pills. He has now become quite healthy, and I consider him one of the healthiest boys in the community. If any person is desirous of knowing the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills you may direct them to me, as I can highly recommend them to be used before it is too late. I have now become quite healthy, and I consider him one of the healthiest boys in the community. If any person is desirous of knowing the merits of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills you may direct them to me, as I can highly recommend them to be used before it is too late. I have now become quite healthy, and I consider him one of the healthiest boys in the community. 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## Soldiers Welcomed

By the Citizens of Montreal and  
Ottawa—Monster Street  
Parades.

Received at the Capital by Lord  
Minto, Hon. R. W. Scott  
and Mayor Payment.

(Associated Press.)  
Montreal, Nov. 3.—Montreal members  
of the first contingent, together with  
Sergeant Northcott, Private Stewart and  
Corp. O'Dell of the Fifth Regiment,  
Victoria, and Private Lee, of Nelson  
Bike Company, British Columbia, and  
members from Ottawa, Kingston, To-  
ronto, Hamilton, London and other On-  
tario cities, were enthusiastically re-  
ceived by thousands of Montreal's popu-  
lation on the arrival of the train at the  
Grand Trunk station at 1.30 to-day.  
The contingent paraded through the  
principal streets headed by military, police  
and society bands, and followed by all  
of the local militia, fraternal and other  
societies. Streets were lined with thou-  
sands of citizens who were wild with en-  
thusiasm. All public and many private  
and business buildings were decorated  
with flags, bunting, etc. At 3 the par-  
ade broke up at the drill hall, where the  
heroes were entertained to a banquet by  
the citizens.

Accident at Quebec.  
Quebec, Nov. 3.—About 10 o'clock this  
morning as the procession conducting the  
returning soldiers was ascending Mount-  
ain Hill, a gallery in rear of the Chien  
D'Or hotel, on which some 20 people  
were standing, gave way precipitating all  
to the ground, a distance of 25 feet. The  
injured are George Adams, a waiter,  
spine broken; Miss Macneil, a waitress,  
and Frederick Letourneau, barkeeper, broken  
legs; old widow named Coulombe, skull  
fractured. The accident was due to the  
gallery being in a decayed condition, and  
the weight of people too great for its strength.

At Ottawa.  
(Special to the Times.)  
Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The returning sol-  
diers got a great reception on their ar-  
rival here to-day. They reached the city  
at 3 o'clock, and marched to Parliament  
Hill, amid the cheers of thousands, who  
met them at the depot, and who lined the  
sidewalks along the route. Lord Minto,  
Hon. R. W. Scott and Mayor Payment  
gave addresses of welcome. The parlia-  
ment grounds were black with people.  
There will be an illumination of build-  
ings tonight. The whole city is decora-  
ted with flags and bunting.  
Ottawa, Nov. 3.—The following cable  
was received by Lord Minto at the close  
of his speech:  
"Her Majesty the Queen has heard  
with pleasure of the safe return of the  
Canadian contingent, and desires to  
thank them most cordially for the ser-  
vices which they have rendered to her  
empire."

**DISTURBANCES IN CHICAGO.**  
Socialistic Labor Speakers Driven From  
the Streets by the Police.

(Associated Press.)  
Chicago, Nov. 3.—Socialistic labor or-  
ators raised the red flag in State street  
last night, and were driven off the thor-  
oughfare by the police, who were com-  
pelled to interfere to stop a riot. It was  
socialistic labor night, and the Debs  
speakers used a dozen weapons to  
speak from along the street. There were  
frequent clashes between the speakers  
and the big crowds who gathered around  
the stands. Shortly after midnight the  
socialists became bolder and a red flag  
was raised on every wagon. The red  
flag was very large, and in contrast was  
hung a flag of the United States of very  
small dimensions.

**PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION.**

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 3.—London business  
circles are keenly interested in the  
American contest, says the Tribune's  
correspondent. Business in the street  
and on the exchanges is virtually sus-  
pended until the decision of the Ameri-  
can electorate can be known in questions  
affecting the industrial interests of the  
world.

**OSGOOD FIELD DEAD.**

New York, Nov. 3.—Information has  
been received of the death of Osgood  
Field, formerly of this city. Osgood  
Field was born here in 1833. He was  
a grandson of Samuel Osgood, who was  
in Washington's cabinet and also the  
first postmaster-general of the United  
States.

A CASKET OF PEARLS.—Dr. Von  
Stan's Pincushion Tablets would prove a  
great solace to the disheartened dyspeptic  
if he would but test their potency. They're  
veritable gems in preventing the seating  
of stomach disorders, by aiding and stimu-  
lating digestion—of these health  
"pearls" in a box, and they cost 35 cents.  
Recommended by most eminent physi-  
cians. Sold by Dean & Hiscocks and Hall  
& Co.—64.

## MINING DISASTER.

Many Men Killed and Injured by an Explosion  
in a West Virginia Coal Mine.

(Associated Press.)  
New York, Nov. 3.—The Associated  
Press has just received a dispatch, at  
10.50 o'clock, from a correspondent at  
Phillippi, W. Va., which says:  
"Berryburg coal mines blown up."  
Thirty-two killed and over 100 wounded.  
Greatest calamity ever occurred in this  
state."  
Another Report.  
Cincinnati, Nov. 3.—A Times' Star  
special says an explosion to-day in the  
Berryburg coal mine at Phillippi, W.  
Va., killed 23 and injured over 100 men.  
No telegraphic communication.  
Phillippi, W. Va., Nov. 3.—The explo-  
sion occurred in one of the mines of the  
Southern Coal & Coke Co., eight miles  
from here. There is neither telegraphic  
nor telephonic communication with the  
mines.  
Ten Men Killed.  
Detroit, Mich., Nov. 3.—President  
Berry, shortly before 2 o'clock, received  
a telephone message from Berryburg,  
saying that 10 men had been killed and  
4 seriously injured, 3 of whom will prob-  
ably die. The mine was damaged very  
slightly. The accident happened at mid-  
night, when most of the men were out  
of the mine.

## A SURPRISE IN STORE.

A New Thing in Politics to be  
Seen on Broad Street This  
Evening.  
Those who come down town  
this evening and who are inter-  
ested in politics will be treated  
to one of the greatest surprises  
of their lives. Thus far the mat-  
ter has been kept a secret, that  
the surprise may be more com-  
plete. Those who are taking  
part in the campaign would do  
well to keep their eyes on the  
Colonist building about the hour  
of 8 o'clock this evening. Their  
patience will be rewarded.  
They will see a sight that will  
cause them to look with aston-  
ishment, and then they will rub  
their eyes and look again to  
assure themselves that they are  
not dreaming.

## THE POLICE COURT.

Refractory Bluejacket Turned Over to  
the Naval Authorities—Other  
Cases.  
A quintette of juveniles appeared in  
the police court this morning. Two of  
these were charged with the theft of  
some lead, and pleading guilty, were  
lectured by the magistrate, who gave  
them some wholesome advice before dis-  
missing them. The other three were  
charged with an offence peculiarly char-  
acteristic of the small boy in some  
climes—the theft of some fruit—apples.  
They were also warned and discharged.  
A charge of drunkenness was registered  
on the minute book against a citizen, but  
as he did not appear before the tribunal  
his bail of \$10 was exonerated. Charles  
Routley, the bluejacket who with Har-  
rington, another son of the sea, was respon-  
sible for the fracas in the lobby of the  
Victoria theatre on Thursday evening,  
was charged with creating a disturbance.  
He pleaded guilty, and was turned over  
to the naval authorities to be dealt with.  
The wounded man, Harding, was not  
badly hurt, and will recover in quick  
order.  
The proceedings were interrupted this  
morning, during the removal of the fur-  
niture, which was taken from Mrs. Mc-  
Cabe's residence on Meier street by Jas.  
Lash, who came up for hearing in the  
speedy trials this morning. The fur-  
niture, which had been in the court room  
ever since the preliminary trial of the  
accused, was removed to the other tri-  
bunal.

If you once try Carter's Little Liver Pills  
for sick headache, biliousness or constipa-  
tion, you will never be without them. They  
are purely vegetable, small and easy to  
take. Don't forget this.

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The warning cough  
is the faithful senti-  
nel. It tells of the  
approach of con-  
sumption, which has  
killed more people  
than war and pesti-  
lence combined. It  
tells of painful  
coughs, sore lungs,  
weak throats, bron-  
chitis, and pneu-  
monia. Do not suf-  
fer for another day. It's use-  
less, for there's a prompt  
and safe cure. It is

**Ayer's  
Cherry  
Pectoral**  
which cures fresh colds and coughs  
in a single night and masters  
chronic coughs and bronchitis in  
a short time. Consumption is sure-  
ly and certainly prevented, and  
cured, too, if taken in time. A 25c.  
bottle for a fresh cold; 50c. size  
for older colds; \$1 size for chronic  
coughs and consumption.  
"I always keep a bottle of Ayer's Cherry  
Pectoral on hand. Then every time I get  
cold I take a little of it and I am better at  
once." JAMES O. BROWN,  
Oct. 29, 1898. El Paso, Texas.

## TWO NEW CASES.

More Smallpox Has Broken Out at William  
Head Quarantine—Two Patients  
Are Dangerous.

Two more cases of smallpox have  
broken out at William Head, the pa-  
tients being a couple of Dawsonites,  
named Turner and McCormick. They  
complained of being unwell several days  
ago, and were kept in the hospital, and  
closely watched for the manifestation of  
symptoms. This morning they gave un-  
mistakable evidence that their ailment  
was none other than smallpox, although  
it is understood that the character of the  
cases is not alarmingly serious.  
What effect this new outbreak will  
have upon the question of detention of  
the others in quarantine is not of a cer-  
tainly known, although Dr. Watt, this  
afternoon, stated that possibly they stay  
will not be more protracted on account  
of the new phase to the situation.  
The other patient is progressing favor-  
ably toward recovery. The fact that  
the new cases have been closely follow-  
ed by Dr. Watt and staff from the in-  
cipient of the indisposition until the  
outbreak is a sufficient commentary on  
the circumspect manner in which the  
quarantine officials are handling their  
department. The fortnight's detention  
at William Head expires on Tuesday  
next, and it depends entirely on existing  
circumstances as to whether it will be  
necessary in the interests of public  
health to extend the time another fort-  
night or not. At any rate the public may  
rest assured that the quarantine officials  
have the matter well in hand.

## POLITICAL MEETINGS.

Final Gatherings in the Government's  
Interest.  
To-night the electors of Victoria dis-  
trict will be addressed in the Temperance  
hall, Cedar Hill, by Messrs. Riley and  
Drury, Gordon Hunter and Dr. Lewis  
Hall. Owing to the railway meeting  
in the theatre the Ford Hall meeting  
will be withdrawn.  
On Monday night the candidates and  
W. H. Langley will speak in Blue Rib-  
bon hall, Esquimalt, and the candidates  
and Geo. Powell and Dr. Hall at Tolmie  
school house.  
Tuesday night the campaign will ter-  
minate with a formal rally in the A. O.  
U. W., when Finn's band and several  
popular vocalists will assist.  
—The R. Y. P. U. of Calvary Baptist  
church will give the programme at the  
W. C. T. U. mission hall, Johnson  
street, this evening, and cordially invite  
all men to be present, and enjoy the  
same.

## Sporting News

**THE HUNT CLUB.  
RUN THIS AFTERNOON.**

The regular weekly run of the Victoria  
Hunt Club is being held this afternoon,  
the start having been made from "Stada-  
cona" at 2.30 o'clock.

**RUGBY FOOTBALL.  
GAME THIS AFTERNOON.**

At the Coliseum grounds this afternoon  
a game is being played between a Victoria  
team, captained by Geo. Gillespie, and  
a team from the Navy.

**ASSOCIATION FOOTBALL.  
THREE GAMES AT BEACON HILL.**

Beacon Hill presents a very animated  
scene this afternoon, as three games are  
being played in succession on the grounds  
opposite the Victoria College.  
A game is also in progress at the Can-  
adian grounds, Esquimalt, between the Vic-  
toria Association football team and an  
eleven from the Navy.  
Those being contested at Beacon Hill are  
a Junior League match between the North  
West and Victoria West schools, a match  
between the Columbian and "A." Company.  
R. C. B. and one between the Intermediate  
teams of the Boys' Brigade and Colum-  
bian.

**TWO YEARS IN PRISON.**

Marcovitz Sentenced to a Term in the  
Penitentiary.

This morning, Marcovitz, the Hungarian,  
who was yesterday convicted of assault  
upon a five-year-old girl, came up for sen-  
tence before Mr. Justice Martin. The  
prisoner protested his innocence, but was  
reminded by the court that the weight of  
evidence was against him.  
Mr. Justice Martin then pronounced  
sentence on the prisoner, condemning him  
to two years' imprisonment in the peniten-  
tiary.  
J. B. Lash also came up for speedy trial  
this morning. He asked for an adjourn-  
ment in order to find a necessary witness,  
Harrison, whom he alleges induced him to  
remove the stolen goods. He states that  
Harrison approached him, told him he was  
in trouble with his landlord, and that he  
wanted to have the goods removed quietly.  
He gave Lash \$5 to do this, and Lash  
thereupon removed the goods.  
In order to allow the police an oppor-  
tunity of finding the real or imaginary  
witness, His Lordship ordered an adjourn-  
ment for one week.

**JUBILEE HOSPITAL RALL.**

The Decorations in Assembly Hall Are  
Handsome Than Usual This Year.

The Assembly hall is decorated this year  
handsomer than ever before for the Jub-  
ilee hospital ball, which will be given on  
Thursday, Nov. 8th. The supper room is  
decorated with the colors of the hospital—  
red and white—and hung with festoons of  
leaves. The illuminations will also be  
made in colors, through the kindness of  
Mr. Hinton. The tables, as usual, will be  
in charge of the ladies associated with  
hospital work. Through the kindness of  
the commander-in-chief at the naval sta-  
tion the ladies have been rendered valu-  
able assistance in the decorations by a  
corps of bluejackets.  
In the hall room proper ships' ensigns  
have been draped in a most artistic man-  
ner, and the flags of all nations are re-  
presented. Here, too, there are festoons  
of holly leaves and arches of evergreens.  
Along the walls will be palms, with mir-  
rors arranged between in such a way as to  
give most striking effects. The Fifth Regi-  
ment band will be in attendance and will  
render a good musical programme. The

sitting rooms will be in charge of Mrs. W.  
F. Barton, the Misses Pemberton and the  
Misses Dunsmuir, while the Women's  
Auxiliary and the Daughters of Pythias  
are looking after the general arrange-  
ments.  
On the following evening there will be  
children's ball, to which old and young  
are cordially invited to attend and enjoy  
the pretty scene.  
Donations of flowers and anything in the  
commissary line will be thankfully re-  
ceived by the ladies up to Thursday fore-  
noon.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

**AMBITIOUS MAN CAN EARN** from  
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with experience; liberal wages paid.  
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## Political Meetings

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3**  
Temperance Hall, Cedar Hill.

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5**  
Blue Ribbon Hall, Esquimalt  
AND  
Tolmie School, Boleskin Road

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6**  
A. O. U. W. Hall, City.

Fifth Regiment Band and some popular  
Vocalists in attendance.

## NORTH WARD.

## Liberal Electors

Members of Committees Nos. 10 and 11  
are requested to meet in their Committee  
Rooms, corner of Bay and Second streets,  
on Monday evening, Nov. 5th, at 8 o'clock;  
with their reports, as this will be the last  
meeting of the Committee.  
A. SHERET,  
Chairman.

## Liberal Association

**GENERAL  
COMMITTEE  
MEETING.**

All supporters and mem-  
bers of committees are par-  
ticularly requested to meet  
on **MONDAY, EVE.,** at  
the Government Commit-  
tee Rooms, Duck Building,  
Broad street.

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## Tenders for Debentures

Sealed tenders, endorsed "Tenders for  
Debentures," will be received up to 4 p.m.  
Monday the 26th day of November, for the  
purchase of Local Improvement De-  
bentures of the Corporation of the City of  
Victoria, amounting to \$7,700, issued under  
the authority of the "Yates and Broad  
Streets Local Improvement Assessment By-  
Law, 1900," and the amendment thereto,  
1900, at a total of \$15,250, and bearing late  
21st August, 1900, and 29th October, 1900,  
respectively.  
These debentures are payable in ten  
years from date, and bear interest at the  
rate of four per cent. per annum, payable  
semi-annually, with principal and interest  
payable at the office of the City Treasurer,  
Victoria.  
Tenders must state the net amount they  
are willing to pay for these de-  
bentures and the successful tenderer will  
be required to pay the interest at four per  
cent. per annum from the dates of the  
debentures until the money is received by  
the Corporation.  
The Corporation does not bind itself to  
accept the lowest or any tender.  
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,  
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., C. M. C.  
2nd November, 1900.

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## STOCK QUOTATIONS.

(Furnished by Richards & Blashfield.)  
New York, Nov. 3.—The following quo-  
tations ruled to-day:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat	78 1/2	78 3/4	78 1/2	78 1/2
December	81 1/2	82 1/4	81 1/2	82 1/4
May	82 1/2	83 1/4	82 1/2	83 1/4
Corn	42 1/2	43 1/4	42 1/2	43 1/4
December	123 1/2	124 1/4	123 1/2	124 1/4
Am. Sugar	97 1/2	98 1/4	97 1/2	98 1/4
Am. Tobacco	94 1/2	95 1/4	94 1/2	95 1/4
People's Gas	96 1/2	97 1/4	96 1/2	97 1/4
Manhattan	110 1/2	111 1/4	110 1/2	111 1/4
C. M. & St. P.	109 1/2	110 1/4	109 1/2	110 1/4
C. R. I. & P.	109 1/2	110 1/4	109 1/2	110 1/4
C. R. & Q.	127 1/2	128 1/4	127 1/2	128 1/4
B. R. T.	97 1/2	98 1/4	97 1/2	98 1/4
Northern Pacific	57 1/2	58 1/4	57 1/2	58 1/4
North Pac. pfd.	73 1/2	74 1/4	73 1/2	74 1/4
Union Pacific	61 1/2	62 1/4	61 1/2	62 1/4
Union Pacific pfd.	74 1/2	75 1/4	74 1/2	75 1/4
Federal Steel	29 1/2	30 1/4	29 1/2	30 1/4
Am. S. & W.	35 1/2	36 1/4	35 1/2	36 1/4
Lehigh & Nash.	75 1/2	76 1/4	75 1/2	76 1/4
T. C. & I.	55 1/2	56 1/4	55 1/2	56 1/4
Balto. & Ohio	74 1/2	75 1/4	74 1/2	75 1/4
Con. Tobacco	28 1/2	29 1/4	28 1/2	29 1/4
Atchafalpa	32 1/2	33 1/4	32 1/2	33 1/4
Atchafalpa pfd.	73 1/2	74 1/4	73 1/2	74 1/4
Southern Pacific	37 1/2	38 1/4	37 1/2	38 1/4

## MINING STOCK QUOTATIONS.

Furnished by Messrs. J. F. Foulkes & Co.,  
Per C. P. R. Telegraph, Toronto.

	Asked.	Bid.
Athabasca	\$ 7 1/2	\$ 5 00
B. C. Gold Fields	3	2 1/2
Big R. T.	2 1/2	1 1/2
Black Tail	14	10
Brandon & Golden Cr.	9	5
Butte & Boston	3 1/2	2
Canadian G. F. S.	7 1/2	7
Cocheco McKinney	73	65
Carlson Hydraulic	1 3/4	1 30
Centre Star	1 50	1 40
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	50 00	42 00
California	6	3
Deer Trail Con.	2 1/2	2 1/2
Giant	7 1/2	6
Hammond Reef	3 1/2	2
Iron Mask	28	25
Jim Blaine	9	5
King	4	3
Knob Hill	45	30
Long Pine-Surprise Con.	3 1/2	3
Monte Christo Con.	9 1/2	7 1/2
Montreal Gold Fields	3	1 1/2
Montreal & London	8	5
Morning Glory	7 1/2	6
Morrison	3	2
Mountain Lion	40	38 1/2
Noble Fire	5	3 1/2
North Star	90 1/2	90 1/2
Norvelly	2 1/2	1
Old Ironsides	65	40
Oliver	14 1/2	10
Payne	88	84 1/2
Francis Maud	3	1
Hambler Carlos Con.	27	25
Republic	71	67
Slocan Sovereign	8	5 1/2
Virtue	30	30
War Eagle Con.	1 04	1 02
Waterloo	3 1/2	3
White Bear	5 1/2	5
Sales—Deer Trail Con. 60 days, 500 at 2 1/2; 5,000, 1,000, 500, 1,000, 500, 2,000 at 2%; Fairview, 500 at 1 1/2; 500 at 1 1/2; 2,000 at 1 1/2; White Bear, 18,000 at 3; Winalup, 1,000 at 2 1/2; Fairview, 5,000 at 1 1/2.		

## MARRIED.

ROSS-MITCHELL—At New Westminster,  
on Oct. 31st, by Rev. A. E. Vert, John  
Ross and Miss Maria B. Mitchell.

## DIED.

WATKINS—On the 3rd inst., Elizabeth,  
youngest daughter of the late John  
Watkins, aged 44.

Funeral will take place from the family  
residence, 95 Meany street, on Monday, 5th  
inst., at 2.30 p. m.

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